

PUBLIC NOTICE

PERMIT APPLICATION NUMBER: NRS 08.299

APPLICANT: State of Tennessee
Department of Transportation
Environmental Division
Suite 900, J. K. Polk Bldg.
505 Deaderick Street
Nashville, TN 37243-0334
615-253-2477

LOCATION: I-69 from 0.31 mile South of SR-5/SR-22 to 0.78 mile west of SR-21 TDOT#66269-1105-14 Obion County (lat36.4262/long89.0823)

WATERSHED DESCRIPTION: The proposed impacts would affect Hoosier Creek, unnamed tributaries to Hoosier Creek and wetlands. Hoosier Creek is a deeply incised wide stream draining north Obion County. The stream varies from 50 to 60 feet in width at top of bank with 18 high banks and 1 foot deep water with a silt substrate. The stream is bordered with shrubs and grasses. The land use in the area is rural agricultural.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project would involve the construction 4.004 miles of I-69 from 0.31 mile south of SR-5/SR-22 to 0.78 mile west of SR-21 along a new alignment. Station 396+33.50+/-: Hoosier Creek. Proposed 2 continuous span concrete bridge. Station 428+45+/-: Unnamed trib. replace existing 304 ft. of open stream with 260 ft. of 2 @ 10X10 RCP box bridge with 23 ft. of riprap at the inlet and 21 ft. of riprap at the outlet. Station 439+42+/-: Unnamed trib. replace existing 374 ft. of open stream with 318 ft. of 2@18X9 ft. RC box bridge with 26 ft. of riprap at the inlet and 23 ft. at the outlet. Station 473+20+/- to 473+80+/-: Wetlands. Proposed permanent fill of 0.797 acre of wetlands. Station 15+97 (Brevard Road): Unnamed trib. Proposed 94 ft. of 8X3 ft. RC box culvert and 60 ft. of riprap at the outlet. Station 576+20+/- to 577+80+/-: Wetland. Permanent impact to 1.091 acres of wetland.

In accordance with the Tennessee Antidegradation Statement (Rule 1200-4-3-.06), the division has determined that the proposed activity will not result in degradation to water quality. Mitigation for stream impacts not mitigated on site (585') would be mitigated by payment of \$117,000.00 to the Tennessee Stream Mitigation Program. Permanent impacts to 1.888 acres of wetlands shall be mitigated by debiting, at a 2:1 ratio 3.78 acres of available credit from the Obion County wetland mitigation bank

More details on the proposal can be viewed on the Internet at
<http://www.state.tn.us/environment/wpc/ppo/arap>.

USGS TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE: Union City, TN (427-NE)

PERMIT COORDINATOR: [Brian Canada](#)

The permit application, supporting documentation including detailed plans and maps, and related comments are available at the department's address for review and/or copying. The department's address is:

Tennessee Department of Environment & Conservation
Division of Water Pollution Control, Natural Resources Section
7th Floor L & C Annex
401 Church Street
Nashville, TN 37243

No decision has been made whether to issue or deny this permit. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties of this permit application and to ask for comments and information necessary to determine possible impacts to water quality. Persons wishing to comment on the proposal are invited to submit written comments to the department. Written comments must be received within **thirty days of the date that this notice is posted**. Comments will become part of the

record and will be considered in the final decision. The applicant's name and permit number should be referenced.

Interested persons may also request in writing that the department hold a public hearing on this application. The request must be filed within the comment period, indicate the interest of the person requesting it, the reasons that the hearing is warranted, and the water quality issues being raised.

In deciding whether to issue or deny a permit, the department will consider all comments on record and the requirements of applicable federal and state laws.



